



PATENT
51270-245583

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Continued Application of:)
YASUO YOSHIOKA) Group Art Unit: 2741
Serial No.: 09/181,021)
Filed: October 27, 1998) Examiner: A. Armstrong
For: ***CONVERTING APPARATUS OF***)
VOICE SIGNAL BY MODULATION OF)
FREQUENCIES AND AMPLITUDES OF)
SINUSOIDAL WAVE COMPONENTS)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time, extending to June 5, 2001 the period for response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2001. A check for \$870 and the responsive papers (a Request for Filing a Continued Prosecution application and Preliminary Amendment) are attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee insufficiency (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 03-3975. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

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